# St. Mark's UNITED METHODIST CHURCH April 6, 2022



#### Palm Sunday Worship at St. Mark's, April 10, 2022

We invite everyone to join us for worship this Palm Sunday. This Sunday Randy will continue his series, "Come to the Table". This week's message will be on "The Great Dinner". Our Classic service will begin at 9:30 am and our Modern service at 10:55 am.

If you are not able to attend there will be a live streaming of worship. To watch the life stream, you can join us at 9:30 am Sunday morning at: https://youtu.be/TuuQIIL8rF8

# DAWN - Dinner & Worship Night Wednesdays 5:30 pm Returns January 5th

#### Schedule:

5:30-6:15 Meal (family style)

6:00-6:30 Prayer Team

6:15-7:30 Children's & Student Ministry

6:15-7:30 Adult Bible Studies

6:30-8:00 Choir Practice













Special Connected Easter Experience Open to ALL!

#### Wednesday April 13th, 2022

We invite you, your families, and friends to join us for a Connected Easter. This event is for the whole family, an opportunity for you to experience God's Redemptive Story from Exodus to Easter. Dinner will be provided from 5:30-6:15. Families will be able to journey through Exodus to Easter with interactive stations, worship and hear from "Safta" as she tells her witness of the crucifixion. We will end by 7:30 with a bonfire prayer vigil on the east lawn.



Communion will be served each Sunday morning at each service in remembrance of Christ.

Maundy Thursday Family Feast & Service Thursday, April 14th, 6:00 pm

Good Friday Services Friday, April 15th, 7:00pm

Easter Sunrise Service Sunday April 17th, 6:45 am (on the shores of Lake Overholser)

Easter Services Sunday April 17th 9:30 am & 10:55 am

Easter Egg Hunt on East lawn 10:30 am (between services)

### **Maundy Thursday Family Feast and Service**

St. Mark's is excited to bring a new family interactive Maundy Thursday Service.



We will gather at 6:00 pm in the Narthex for an all church Potluck supper. The church will provide the meat. Sides and desserts, will be supplied by families. The meal will take place in the Narthex and will include some reflection time and interac-

tion. Following the meal we will move into the sanctuary for our Maundy Thursday service which will play off of our meal time together and lead us into Holy Weekend in a meaningful way. Make plans to be a part of this special church event.

IF COMING Let us know. Call office, email pat@stmarksbethany.com or sign up on counter

#### **EASTER LILIES**



There is a sign-up sheet on the counter outside the church office for ordering Easter Lilies. You can also sign up on the Church Center app (Just go to registrations and sign up). These lilies will decorate our sanctuary Easter Sunday, April 17. Please indicate on the sheet if you are donating the lily in honor or memory of your loved ones. Orders and

payment of \$20.00 is due by Sunday, April 10th, for each lily you donate. You may take your lilies home after services on Easter Sunday.



# KIDMIN NEWS

Staying Up to Date with the Latest Happenings

## Sunday Mornings: Connected Easter

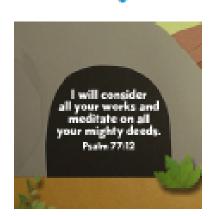
## April 10th Palm Sunday



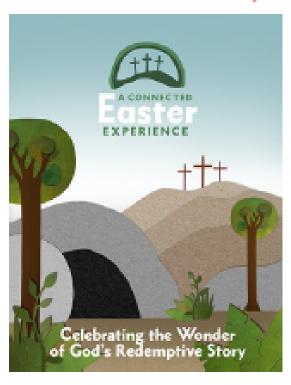
### Waving of the Palms

Children will be waving the Palms in both services, so please arrive by 9:30 am so we can get children ready into place. All children will participate including our youngest.

# Connected Easter Memory Verse



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### **SUMMER CAMP TIME**

Friday, June 24th - Sunday, June 26th, Denton, TX

Why: To connect and engage with Jesus, to step into their own relationship with God

Cost: \$150 per camper

Scholarships: \$50 per kid camper

Please register for Camp on Church Center app under Signups, a deposit of \$30 is due with registration. If you have a problem - contact Sharon. Please register ASAP!



Tuesdays/Thursdays June and July 9:30 am - 2:30 pm Cost is \$205 Theme: Space Camp!



Go to Church Center Signups or https://stmarksbethany.churchcent er.com/registrations/ events

## **Wednesday Nights**

April 6th: Those who are wise love truth and hate lies.

April 13th: Frog's Rainy Day on hold for Easter week.

Companion adult study in Room 19 to support parents in conversations at home.





April 6th - Lorelei Lusk

April 15th - Xander Gannon

April 28th - Adam Votaw

## © RICE BOWLS

This Lenten season we will again have the opportunity to make a difference in amazing kids lives. Rice bowls is an amazing organization feeding, orphaned and hungry children. You can



pick up your bowls at the Ash Wednesday Service on March 2nd or anytime after that. Challenge your friends, members in your family, give up a drink a day and drop that change in the rice bowl and we will gather them all together on Easter morning and make a real difference. Watch for stories, and more information about the many ways Rice Bowls can make a difference and then start filling those Rice Bowls.

# St. Mark's is hosting our 15th annual Daddy/Daughter Dance April 23rd 6:30 - 8:00 pm



This has always been a special event for dads, grandads, uncles, older brothers and others to honor daughters in the family with a special night out.

The event will feature a professional DJ, snacks and great photo opportunities. Be sure to bring your camera!

Cost is free! However, donations are accepted and appreciated.

Make your plans now to bring that special girl to this great memory making event.

# OKC Dodgers Game Saturday, April 30



Join us for a great evening.
\$20 gets ticket, hat and
all hot dogs and
hamburgers you can eat.
Contact Mike Fisher for more info.



# Mexico City Mission Team June 22-29, 2022

Looking for team members who want to be in ministry and build relationships.

Check out details on church center under signups or contact Becky Roman!

St. Markian's the Easter Egg Hunt is approaching and we need your HELP!

Kidmin is preparing for our egg hunt on Easter Sunday.

We are hunting for financial donations to fill eggs.

Suggested donations of \$ 10.00 can be made to Children's Ministry by check, cash, or online through the Church Center app.

Text "10 egghunt" to 84321 to donate the suggested \$10 amount.

#### **Staff Emails**

If you have questions please feel free to contact the staff.

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Faithbuilders SS class invites you to join us each week during Lent at the front of the church and at home daily for united intercessory prayer. This week our prayer focus will be on Healing: physical/mental/emotional/spiritual; addictions; human trafficking; abuses (including animals).

#### **UMW ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW**



Mark your calendars for our first annual Arts & Crafts show that the United Methodist Women will be holding. There will be 22 booths of marvelous merchandise to browse through. We are beginning to sell out of booths so if you are interested in having a booth now is the time to sign up. If you are interested in reserving a booth, please see Barbara Hill. Her email is <a href="mailto:ems1954@gmail.com">ems1954@gmail.com</a> or call her at 405-201-6618.

## Men's Breakfast Saturday, April 9th

Hunting for some great fellowship and great food? We invite you to join us on Saturday April 9th, at 8:00 am for the men's breakfast. Along with the food there will be a devotion and a lot of fun.



#### **Facts and Figures**

2022 Annual Budget	635,934
Rec'd toward Operating 3/20/202 Year to Date 2022	2 4820
Rec'd toward offering (thru 3/20/2 Expenses (thru 3/20)	

#### <u>Attendance</u>

unday, April 3 Total 243	
Classic Service	135
Modern Service	56
Online	52

#### **Prayer Box**

Jeff & Dianna Davidson
Paula Galt
Janice Brown
Curtis (son-in-law of Janice Brown)
Lavina Bonifield (Daughter –in– law
Margaret Bonifield)
Tiffany Montesano

Jeff Montesano
John Talbot
Jason Talbot
Becky Chessmore

#### Laurie Bucholtz

Greg Pinkerton
Miller Gerardy
Jim McAden (Elaine Talbot brother)
Carla Brueggen
Mike Kolar (son of Ruth Martyn)
Patsy McDowell
Clint Hutchison
Jimmy Manharth (Lisa Hutchison dad)
Marty Croy
Esmeralda Emanuel